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SUBJECT: MISSILE TECHNOLOGY CONTROL REGIME (MTCR): AUSTRIA
STUDYING U.S. PROPOSAL

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Classified By: Acting DCM Gregory E. Phillips for Reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

11. (C) EconPolOff delivered reftel demarche on November 30 to Monika Froehler in the Austrian MFA's Arms Control, Disarmament, and Non-Proliferation Division. Froehler said that the GoA welcomed the USG position to review the Regime's approach to Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs) and cruise missiles in order to enhance the MTCR's effectiveness. She said that technical experts are currently examining the specifics of the U.S. proposal and that she would relay to us any questions or concerns that these experts might have.
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